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A GREAT DEAL IN A NUTSHELL.

'Both sides are thoroughly organized and amply provided with the sinews of war.'

This precious scrap of paper appears in an exchange. The reference is to the Quebec elections now under way. It is no longer the independent votes of the electors, but the purchase of soul and body of the constituency. The side which has the most money is the winning horse.

Upon this principle, or the want of it, what is called 'annexation'—that great boog-a-boo—might be brought about by Uncle Sam himself, if he so desired it, by sending money enough into the country (say \$100,000) and placing it in the right hands and carry his point. The cry among his proteges would have to be independence—not 'annexation'—this would cover the pill and it would go down 'slick.' In fact with such a constituency that can be bought by those who have the most money, is capable of anything.

The Czar of Russia himself would stand a good chance in the market of such mercenaries. Is this then the beautiful Dominion of Canada that has a (mongrel) name among the nations reared in the lap of British Institutions, and professes to be a free-born people? The question at the polls in Quebec will not be Deboucherville or Mercies—not constitutionalism, or arbitrary rule; but who has the most money to give the miscreant slave for his vote. This alone will be the issue. And then the press—no longer to be regarded in the sense of the great palladium of the Englishman's liberty, but rather as the wind-mill whose sails are filled by every wind of doctrine which party generates and which the publishers are specially paid for keeping in motion.

DEATH OF MR. THOMAS DEBLOIS.

This gentleman who was well known in Fredericton, from his annual visits in passing to the fishing grounds at the North, has recently died in Salem, Mass., at the age of 92. One of the St. John papers says he was born on a steamer in 1800 on her way to America from England. It is needless to say that no steamer was even thought of at that early day—or one to cross the Atlantic until 1835, or thereabouts.

Four years ago, in company with a New York gentleman, Mr. Deblois and his friend tarried over night at the Parker House, so as to be ready for an early start for the fishing grounds next morning. Mr. Deblois' friend was taken sick that night and was a corpse ere the morning's dawn. His friends were notified and in a day afterwards his wife and son arrived in Fredericton from New York and took the body home. This gentleman was in the flush of health and fine spirits on his arrival here and visited many parts of the town the same evening and was greatly pleased with the place and especially the rural grandeur of the old elms which lined the streets. Alas! he was no more in twenty four hours after, and Mr. Deblois returned to St. John after the sad occurrence which brought his fishing excursion to a close for that season. Mr. Deblois was then 88 years of age—tall and straight as a pine—and seemed as if he would have reached the centenarian period of existence. No man was better known in St. John; or more highly respected than Thomas Deblois. But he too is gone.

THE MAYBRICK CASE.

A great deal of sympathy has been expressed in England and on this side of the water for Mrs. Florence Maybrick, who was sentenced to imprisonment for life in England, for poisoning her husband—that is to say according to the judicial determination of the court which tried her case. The popular feeling in England was so great that within three

days from the passing of sentence some 3,000 petitions were sent in against it with more than 500,000 signatures. It was under this pressure that Mr. Matthews, the secretary of state for the home department, reviewed the case, and committed Mrs. Maybrick's sentence of death to penal servitude for life. But why ask for Mrs. Maybrick's pardon if she is not guilty? Because there is no appeal for her to any court of justice. By the English law the case cannot be re-opened. English and American people, therefore, have asked the Queen to pardon her.

The judge who sentenced her to death has since become insane. His mental malady was so apparent soon after the trial that his resignation was demanded on the score of mental incapacity. English women have from time to time asked American women to interest themselves in the matter because Mrs. Maybrick was an American. A fund was raised in the United States for Mrs. Maybrick's benefit, to which a great number of leading American women have contributed handsomely.

Mr. Maybrick's grandfather, David Chandler, born in Warrenton, Ga., was an able lawyer and a most philanthropic man. He was mainly instrumental in founding Wesleyan College, the first in the world to grant a diploma to girls. His eldest son William Chandler, was the father of Mrs. Maybrick. Her mother was Miss Holbrook, a daughter of the late Darius Blake Holbrook of New York, —he was associated with Cyrus W. Field in the laying of the first Atlantic cable. Rev. John Ingraham, rector of Grace Church in St. Louis and author of 'The Prince of the House of David,' was an uncle of Mrs. Maybrick's mother.

The claim of innocence put forth upon Mrs. Maybrick's case rests mainly upon the following assertions: That Mr. Maybrick was an arsenic eater; that the poison found in his body was taken by him medicinally, and was not administered by his wife; that it was not sufficient in quantity to cause death; and that he really died from natural causes. Although the case has proved to be one of the most interesting known in England in many years and the final act will be watched with very great interest by the entire civilized world.

INSURANCE RATES.

Every year thousands of dollars are sent away from Fredericton for protection from fire and paid to insurance companies. The total losses from fire in the last year was very little over one thousand dollars. With our excellent system of water works a serious conflagration is almost absolutely impossible. The question then naturally arises are our insurance rates not altogether too high? Do not the companies doing business here charge a great deal higher premium on risks than they are justified in charging. When they take into consideration the great protection afforded them—greater in fact than almost any other city in the Dominion—should they not reduce their rates in comparison with the great reduction in risks which they have to take. We believe Fredericton is paying altogether too much for insurance.

THE LEGISLATURE.

The local legislature was formally opened on Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock by His Honor Lieutenant Governor Tilley. The speech from the throne would clearly indicate a short but probably busy session. The government come before the present house with an even stronger following than last year and with the usual business-like tact displayed by the members of the Executive the details will in all probability be short but interesting.

One-Eyed Celebrities.

Lord Wolseley lost his eye in the Crimean War, and is yet, happily, fitted for active duty and all the enjoyments of life; nor can it be doubted that if a big war broke out in which England was a principal, the hero of Tel-el-Kebir would have a chance of showing how far he resembled Hannibal, the greatest of great captains, who, like our immortal Nelson on another element, was one-eyed.

Again, the first Marquis Cornwallis, who capitulated to George Washington at Yorktown, Virginia, in 1783, and was afterwards Viceroy of Ireland and Governor-General of India, lost his eye as an Eton boy, having been blinded by Shute Barrington, who died Bishop of Durham. With more recent times well-known men abound who, like Colonel Montague, Lord Lonsborough, and Mr. Egremont Cacciales, have, so to speak, left one of their eyes behind them on the shooting-field, which is sometimes scarcely less dangerous than the battle-field.

A clergyman of Lincolnshire lately preached rather a long sermon from the text, 'Thou art weighed in the balance and found wanting.'

LOCAL LEGISLATURE.

The Formal Opening Took Place Thursday Afternoon.

The Speech Delivered by His Honor the Lieut. Governor.

Despite the storm which prevailed, large numbers turned on Thursday afternoon to witness the opening of the local legislature. There was a fair attendance of members in the council chamber when His Honor the Lieutenant Governor delivered the following speech: MR. PRESIDENT AND HONORABLE GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL: MR. SPEAKER AND GENTLEMEN OF THE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY:

I meet you with pleasure upon your again assembling for the discharge of your legislative duties, relying with confidence upon your zeal and ability in the public service. The untimely death of the Duke of Clarence, heir-presumptive to the throne, a few weeks ago, created a feeling of profound sorrow throughout the empire. On behalf of the people of this Province, I caused to be conveyed to Her Majesty and the Royal parents, an assurance of our sympathy in their great affliction, to which I have received a most gracious acknowledgement in reply.

I regret to say that the lumber industry of the Province has not yet emerged from the depression with which it has been effected, nor do I see any immediate prospect of improvement. I am, however, happy in being able to congratulate you upon the abundant harvest of the past year.

I have much satisfaction in informing you that the commission appointed two years ago to enquire into the report upon the general management of our Crown timber lands have concluded their labors, and their conclusions will be immediately communicated to you. It is not improbable that during the session some legislation will be proposed for consideration in connection with the recommendations of the commission.

I am gratified at being able to inform you that the Mining Law enacted last year, and which has been therefore less than twelve months in operation, has already given a marked impetus to the licensing of mining areas and to mining exploration generally. I look with some confidence for a substantial development in this direction during the season upon which we are now entering.

The disappointing results of the census, from which it had been confidently expected that a large addition to the Dominion annual subsidy would have accrued, has been a subject of much consideration by my government. While recognizing the importance of maintaining permanently the equilibrium between income and expenditure, it has been deemed by my government none the less important that additional means be found to further assist the dairying and kindred agricultural interests, so as to diminish if possible the outflow of our farming population. To this end a measure has been prepared, and will be laid before you for augmenting the revenue from sources hitherto undrawn upon, to which I invite your careful attention.

The claim against the government of the Dominion in connection with the Eastern Extension matter, so called, is, I regret to say, still unpaid. My government has not ceased to urgently press its payment upon the government at Ottawa, but so far without success.

The obligation resting upon the state to provide for the education of the blind and deaf and dumb has already been recognized by the government and people of the Province, but not, I am led to believe, to the extent demanded by the growing needs of these dependent classes. A measure relating to the subject has been prepared and will be submitted for your approval.

MR. SPEAKER AND GENTLEMEN OF THE HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY: Under the authority conferred at the last session of the Legislature, a very extensive importation of pure bred stock of various standard breeds was made from the sister Provinces of Ontario and Quebec. The quality of the animals imported is admitted to have been a very high order, and their distribution throughout the Province cannot fail to be of general benefit.

NOTES AND NOTIONS.

Running Comments on Passing Events.

Sundry Ebullitions in Prose and Rhyme.

'Henry,' cried Mrs. Von Toddles, grasping her somnolent husband by the arm. 'Henry, there are burglars in the house. Get up and go down.' 'Utter nonsense, my dear,' returned Henry. 'You wouldn't have a man of my social position associating with burglars, would you? You astonish me.'

The young Barber: 'But a fellow can't talk politics with out fear of offending some one he don't know.'

A young candidate for the legal profession was asked what he should do first when employed to bring an action.

'Well, congratulate me, old fellow. I am a father!'

'Good! Boy or girl?'

'By Jove! So excited I forgot to ask.'

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JAMES G. McNALLY, Mar. 5th, 1892.